From: Ed Walczak < EdWalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com>

Sent: Wednesday, July 27, 2016 9:12 PM

To:Paul RiegerCc:Kimberly RiosSubject:Re: Follow up

Ok, I am now getting way too many Stephen Hood emails. I'll answer this one sometime in the next week. Next question gets answered sometime in 2017. Maybe.

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From: "Hood, Stephen (NYC)" < <a href="mailto:shood@edfmancapital.com">shood@edfmancapital.com</a>>

Date: Wednesday, July 27, 2016 at 10:47 AM

To: Ed Walczak < EdWalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com >

Cc: Paul Rieger < prieger@rcmam.com >

Subject: RE: Follow up

Thanks Ed

Quick follow up questions:

When the fund is down 8% that's the hard circuit breaker when you reduce? Is there a next level everything is flattened out?

The fund being down 8% translates into what kind of S&P move?

Thank you!

From: Ed Walczak [mailto:EdWalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com]

Sent: Monday, July 25, 2016 8:01 AM

To: Hood, Stephen (NYC) < shood@edfmancapital.com >

Cc: Paul Rieger cprieger@rcmam.com>

Subject: Re: Follow up

Steve,

Ran it with Friday settles. \$1.22 billion.

Ed

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From: "Hood, Stephen (NYC)" < shood@edfmancapital.com >

Date: Friday, July 22, 2016 at 11:05 AM

To: Paul Rieger cramm.com, Ed Walczak <EdWalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com</pre>

Subject: RE: Follow up

Ed

Thanks in advance for the answer.

Regards Steve

From: Hood, Stephen (NYC)

Sent: Friday, July 22, 2016 8:56 AM

To: 'Paul Rieger' <prieger@rcmam.com>; 'edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com'

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Subject: RE: Follow up

Understood and thanks

I was talking about the positions across the street as well. Could you share that # as well.

Regards

From: Paul Rieger [mailto:prieger@rcmam.com]

**Sent:** Friday, July 22, 2016 8:54 AM

To: Hood, Stephen (NYC) <shood@edfmancapital.com>; 'edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com'

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Subject: RE: Follow up

Steve,

Is this with the current positions on right now or just in general? I believe with the portfolio on your books a 10% move would be roughly a \$500 million loss. The Fund has 3.3 billion and 20-50% is used for margin so there is a nice cushion here. Your firm currently has \$402,834,170 in the account when span margin is only \$268,556,133.33. So on a 10% move we would need to send you in \$98 million, plenty of cushion.

## Thanks

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From: Hood, Stephen (NYC) [mailto:shood@edfmancapital.com]

Sent: Friday, July 22, 2016 7:32 AM

To: 'edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com' <edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com>

Cc: Paul Rieger cprieger@rcmam.com>

Subject: RE: Follow up

Hi Ed

One other follow up as discussed, please let me know what liquidity you have above the 10% move up – one day time horizon.

Thanks!

From: Hood, Stephen (NYC)

**Sent:** Friday, July 22, 2016 8:04 AM

To: 'edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com' <edwalczak@catalystmutualfunds.com>

Cc: US-RISK-DL <usrisk@edfmancapital.com>; Mulvihill, Monica (CHG) <mmulvihill@edfmancapital.com>; 'Paul Rieger'

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Subject: Follow up

Hi Ed,

Thank you very much for taking time to speak with us yesterday. As discussed, please send your daily trade intentions to usrisk@edfmancapital.com We understand some days you may have something on the radar but nothing gets done.

Kind regards, Steve

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